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In re Application

J. Frank Doenig et al

Serial No.: 10/645.869

Filed: August 22, 2003

For: Erectile Dysfunction Treatments

Comprising Momentary Vacuum Therapy

Alone Or With Medications

DECISION ON PETITION

This is in response to applicants' petition filed August 22, 2003 to make the above-identified application special under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.102(c), based on the age of the applicant.

Applicant has satisfied the provisions set forth in M.P.E.P. 708.02, IV. Therefore the petition is **GRANTED**.

The application will be forwarded to the examiner for action on the merits commensurate with this decision.

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